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Disclaimer:

Your author read through the Bible cover-to-cover twice to extract all the proper names and then rigorously compared them with Hebrew and Greek dictionaries to ascertain appropriate definitions.

For this lexicon, I narrowed it down to only those names that mention, acknowledge or allude to God. Although I have tried to make it as complete as possible, if I have missed any names, I apologise in advance.

Lionel Hartley, Feast of St Michael,
29 September 1970

Introduction

This lexicon (word list) is a selection of names of persons or places referenced in the Holy Bible that mention, acknowledge or allude to God.

It does not include names that refer to other gods -- for example, names such as Baalzebub (god of the fly -- 2 Kings 1:2) or Hadadrimmon (invocation to the god Rimmon -- Zechariah 12:11).

Also excluded from this lexicon are names with obscure connotations such as Jonah (Dove -- 2 Kings 14:25), symbolic of the Holy Spirit.

Definitions have been taken from the Hebrew or Greek equivalent although in some cases the context explains the definition or meaning.

For example, Matthew 1:23 says, "Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us".

These are listed, in most cases, when the

name first appears in Scripture. For example, the name Elohim occurs more than 2,250 times in the Bible, and so only the first reference is displayed. A good concordance will supply subsequent references.

In biblical times, a person's name expressed their character, destiny, or the circumstances of their birth.

Mothers: often named their children in the Old Testament, particularly to express the significance of the birth.

Fathers also had the authority to name children, and even non-parents: could name children in specific circumstances, like Moses being named by Pharaoh's daughter (Exodus 2:10) or Hadassah being named Esther (Esther 2:7).

Instead of modern surnames, people were identified by:

(i) Patronyms based on parentage (e.g. Barabbas the son of Abba - Matthew 27:16 or Simon son of Jonas - John 21:15),

(ii) Geographic Location (e.g. Mary Magdalene from Magdala - Matthew 27:56 or Judas Iscariot from Kerioth - Matthew 10:4 or Jeremiah of Libnah - 2 Kings 23:31),

(iii) Religious or political affiliation (e.g. Simon called Zelotes, a member of the Zelots sect - Luke 6:15; or Abimelech, meaning Father of the King - Genesis 20:2), or

(iv) By his or her occupation (e.g. Simon, a tanner - Acts 9:43).

(v) By divine initiative, name changes would often signify divine intervention, a new covenant or transformation, to reveal a profound shift in a person's character or future, such as Abram becoming Abraham (Genesis 17:5) or Jacob becoming Israel (Genesis 32:28) or Simon becoming Peter (Mark 3:16).

There were four basic name meanings: descriptive, prophetic, character-based and theological

(i) Descriptive: Names often reflected the circumstances of a child's birth, such as Isaac (He laughs - Genesis 21:3) or Jacob (Supplanter - Genesis 25:26).

(ii) Prophetic: A name could express hopes for the child's future or reveal their destiny. Or describe a prophetic message, e.g. Loammi (Not my people - Hosea 1:9)

(iii) Character-based: In the ancient world, a name was believed to express the essence of a person's potential character, e.g. Haggith (Rejoicing - 2 Samuel 3:4) or Magbish (Excelling - Ezra 2:30)

(iv) Theological: Many names incorporated divine elements, like "El" or "Yah," to connect the child to God or express a quality of God, and this is the focus of this lexicon.

Names Beginning with A

Abba

Father (Mark 14:36)

Abdeel

A Vapour or a Cloud of God (Jeremiah 36:26)

Abdiel

Servant of God (1 Chronicles 5:15)

Abiah

The Lord is My Father (1 Samuel 8:2)

Abiel

God my Father (1 Samuel 9:1)

Abijah

The Lord is My Father (1 Kings 14:1)

Abimael

A Father Sent From God (Genesis 10:28)

Adab

Everlasting Father (Isaiah 9:6)

Adaiah

The Witness of the Lord (2 Kings 22:1)

Addon

Basis or Foundation or the Lord
Nehemiah 7:61)

Adiel

The Witness of the Lord (1 Chronicles 4:36)

Adonai

Lord or Master (Isaiah 40:10)

Adonibezek

The Lightning of the Lord or the Lord of
Lightning (Judges 1:5)

Adonijah

The Lord is My Master (2 Samuel 3:4)

Adonikam

The Lord is Raised (Ezra 2:13)

Adoniram

My Lord is Most High or Lord of Might And
Elevation (1 Kings 4:6)

Adonizedek

Justice of the Lord or Lord of Justice
(Joshua 10:1)

Adriel

The Flock of God (1 Samuel 18:19)

Ahiah

Brother of the Lord (1 Samuel 14:3)

Ahijah

Brother of the Lord (1 Kings 11:29)

Alammelech

God is King (Joshua 19:26)

Alleluia

Praise the Lord (Revelation 19:1)

Almodad

Measure of God (Genesis 10:26)

Alpha

God At the Beginning [The First Letter of the Greek Alphabet] (Revelation 1:8)

Amariah

The Lord Says or the Integrity of the Lord (1 Chronicles 6:7)

Amaziah

The Strength of the Lord (2 Kings 12:21)

Ammiel

The People of God (Numbers 13:12)

Ammishaddai

The People of the Almighty or the Almighty
is With Me (Numbers 1:12)

Antothijah

Afflictions or Answers or Songs of the Lord
(1 Chronicles 8:24)

Areli

The Light or Vision of God (Genesis 46:16)

Ariel

Altar or Light or Lion of God (Ezra 8:16)

Arimathaea

A Lion Dead to the Lord (Matthew 27:57)

Asahel

Creature of God (2 Samuel 2:18)

Asaiah

The Lord Hath Wrought (1 Chronicles 4:36)

Asiel

The Work of God (1 Chronicles 4:35)

Asriel

Help of God (Numbers 26:31)

Athaiah

The Lord's Time (Nehemiah 11:4)

Athaliah

The Time of the Lord (2 Kings 8:26)

Azaliah

Near the Lord (2 Kings 22:3)

Azaniah

Hearing the Lord (Nehemiah 10:9)

Azaniah

The Lord's Weapons (Nehemiah 10:9)

Azareel

Help of God (1 Chronicles 12:6)

Azariah

He That Hears the Lord (1 Kings 4:2)

Azaziah

Strength of the Lord (1 Chronicles 15:21)

Names Beginning with B

Barachel

He that Bows Before God (Job 32:2)

Barjesus

Son of Jesus or Son of Joshua (Acts 13:6)

Basileus Basileus

King of Kings (Revelation 19:16)

Bedaiah

The Only Lord (Ezra 10:35)

Bedeiah

The Only Lord (Ezra 10:35)

Beerlahairoi

The Well of Him that Lives and Sees Me
(Genesis 16:14)

Benaiah

Son of the Lord (2 Samuel 8:18)

Berachiah

Speaking Well of the Lord (1 Chronicles
6:39)

Beraiah

The Choosing of the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:21)

Besodeiah

Counsel of the Lord (Nehemiah 3:6)

Bethbirei

The House of My Creator or The House of My Health (1 Chronicles 4:31)

Bethuel

Related to God (Genesis 22:22)

Bezaleel

In the Shadow of God (Exodus 31:2)

Binea

Son of the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:37)

Bithiah

Daughter of the Lord (1 Chronicles 4:18)

Bukkiah

The Dispersion of the Lord (1 Chronicles 25:4)

Names Beginning with C

Chenaniah

Preparation or Disposition or Strength of
the Lord (1 Chronicles 15:22)

Coniah

Strength of the Lord (Jeremiah 22:24)

Names Beginning with D

Dalaiah

The Poor of the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:24)

Daniel

Judgment of God or God My Judge (1
Chronicles 3:1)

Delaiah

The Poor of the Lord (1 Chronicles 24:18)

Deuel

The Knowledge of God (Numbers 1:14)

Names Beginning with E

Ehud

He That Praises God (Judges 3:15)

El Elyon

Most High God (Psalm 78:35)

El Olam

The Everlasting God (Isaiah 26:4)

El Roi

God Who Sees (Genesis 16:13)

El Shaddai

God Almighty (Genesis 17:1)

Eladah

The Eternity of God (1 Chronicles 7:20)

Elasah

The Doings of God (Ezra 10:22)

El-Beth-El

The God of Bethel (Genesis 35:7)

Eldaah

Knowledge of God (Genesis 25:4)

Eldad

Favoured of God or Love of God (Numbers 11:26)

Elead

Witness of God (1 Chronicles 7:21)

Elealeh

Burnt Offering of God (Numbers 32:3)

Eleazar

Help of God or Court of God (Exodus 6:23)

Elelohe-Israel

God or The God of Israel (Genesis 33:20)

Elhanan

Grace or Gift or Mercy of God (2 Samuel 21:19)

Eli

My God (1 Samuel 1:3)

Eliab

God is My Father or God is the Father (Numbers 1:9)

Eliada

Knowledge of God (2 Samuel 5:16)

Elijah

God the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:27)

Elijahba

My God the Father (2 Samuel 23:32)

Eliakim

Resurrection of God (2 Kings 18:18)

Eliam

The People of God (2 Samuel 11:3)

Elias

God the Lord or The Strong Lord (Matthew 11:14)

Eliasaph

The Lord Increases (Numbers 1:14)

Eliashib

The God of Conversion (1 Chronicles 3:24)

Eliathah

Thou art my God (1 Chronicles 25:4)

Elidad

Beloved of God (Numbers 34:21)

Eliel

God or my God (1 Chronicles 5:24)

Elienai

The God of my Eyes (1 Chronicles 8:20)

Eliezer

Help or Court of my God (Genesis 15:2)

Elihu

He is my God Himself (1 Samuel 1:1)

Elijah

God the Lord or The Strong Lord (1 Kings 17:1)

Elika

Rejection by God (2 Samuel 23:25)

Elimelech

My God is King (Ruth 1:2)

Eliphaz

A Miracle of God (1 Chronicles 11:35)

Eliphalet

The God of Deliverance (2 Samuel 5:16)

Eliphaz

The Endeavour of God (Genesis 36:4)

Elisabeth

The Fullness of God (Luke 1:5)

Elisha

Salvation of God (1 Kings 19:16)

Elishah

It is God or the Lamb of God or God that
Gives Help (Genesis 10:4)

Elishama

God Hearing (Numbers 1:10)

Elishaphat

My God Judges (2 Chronicles 23:1)

Elisheba

Fullness of God (Exodus 6:23)

Elishua

God is My Salvation (2 Samuel 5:15)

Eliud

God is My Praise (Matthew 1:14)

Elizur

God is My Strength or My Rock or Rock of
God ()

Elkanah

God the Zealous or the Zeal of God (Exodus
6:24)

Elkeshai (Elkoshite)

Hardiness or Rigour of God or native of
Elkosh (Nahum 1:1)

Ellasar

Revolting From God (Genesis 14:1)

Elmodam

The God of Measure or of the Garment (Luke
3:28)

Elnaam

God's Fairness (1 Chronicles 11:46)

Elnathan

God Has Given or the Gift of God (2 Kings
24:8)

Elohi

Creator (Genesis 1:1)

Elohim

Creator (Genesis 1:1)

Elohiym Creator God (Psalm 8:1)

Elpaal

God's Work (1 Chronicles 8:11)

Elteketh or Eltekeh

The Case of God (Joshua 19:44)

Eltolad

The Generation of God (Joshua 15:30)

Eluzai

God is my Strength (1 Chronicles 12:5)

Elzabad

The Dowry of God (1 Chronicles 12:12)

Elzaphan

God of the Northeast Wind (Exodus 6:22)

Emmanuel

God With Us (Matthew 1:23)

Esaias

The Salvation of the Lord (Matthew 3:3)

Ezekiel

The Strength of God (Ezekiel 1:3)

Names Beginning with G

Ga'al

Redeemer (Isaiah 44:6)

Gabriel

God is my Strength (Daniel 8:16)

Gamaliel

Recompense of God or Camel of God (Numbers 1:10)

Gemariah

Accomplishment or Perfection of the Lord
(Jeremiah 29:3)

Gibbowr-El

Mighty God (Isaiah 9:6)

Names Beginning with H

Habaiah

The Hiding of the Lord (Ezra 2:61)

Habazinaiah or Habaziniah

A Hiding of the Shield of the Lord (Jeremiah 35:3)

Hachaliah

Who Waits for the Lord (Nehemiah 1:1)

Haggiah

The Lord's Feast (1 Chronicles 6:30)

Hallelujah

Praise the Lord [Literally: Praise Jah]
(Revelation 19:1)

Hanameel

The Grace that Comes from God or Gift of God
(Jeremiah 32:7)

Hananeel

Grace or Gift of God (Nehemiah 3:1)

Hananiah

Grace or Mercy or Gift of the Lord (1
Chronicles 3:19)

Haniel

The Gift of God (1 Chronicles 7:39)

Hanniel

Grace or Mercy of God (Numbers 34:23)

Harhaiah

Heat or Anger of the Lord (Nehemiah 3:8)

Harim

Destroyed or Dedicated to God (1 Chronicles 24:8)

Hasadiah

The Mercy of the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:20)

Hashabiah

The Estimation of the Lord (1 Chronicles 6:45)

Hashabnah

The Silence of the Lord (Nehemiah 3:10)

Hashabniah

The Silence of the Lord (Nehemiah 10:25)

Hayah

I Am That I Am (Exodus 3:14)

Hazael

That Sees God (1 Kings 19:15)

Hazaiah

Seeing the Lord (Nehemiah 11:5)

Hezekiah

Strength of the Lord (2 Kings 16:20)

Hiel

God Lives or the Life of God (1 Kings 16:34)

Hilkiah

God is my Portion (2 Kings 18:18)

Hizkijah

The Strength of the Lord (Nehemiah 10:17)

Hodaiah

The Praise of the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:24)

Horem

An Offering Dedicated to God (Joshua 19:38)

Hoshaiah

The Salvation of the Lord (Nehemiah 12:32)

Hoshama

Heard or He Obeys (1 Chronicles 3:18)

Names Beginning with I

Ibneiah

The Building of the Lord (1 Chronicles 9:8)

Igdaliah

The Greatness of the Lord (Jeremiah 35:4)

Immanuel

God With Us (Isaiah 7:14)

Iphedeiah

Redemption of the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:25)

Irijah

The Fear of the Lord (Jeremiah 37:13)

Irpeel

The Health or Medicine or Exulting of God
(Joshua 18:27)

Isaiah

The Salvation of the Lord (2 Kings 19:2)

Ishi

Salvation of God (1 Chronicles 2:31)

Ishiah

It is the Lord (1 Chronicles 7:3)

Ishmachiah

Cleaving to the Lord (2 Chronicles 31:13)

Ishmael

God That Hears (Genesis 16:11)

Ishmaiah

Hearing or Obeying the Lord (1 Chronicles 27:19)

Ismachiah

Cleaving to the Lord (2 Chronicles 31:13)

Israel

Who Prevails With God or He Will Rule With God (Genesis 32:28)

Ithiel

God Has Arrived or Sign of God or Coming of God (Nehemiah 11:7)

Izrahiah

The Lord Arises or the Clearness of the Lord (1 Chronicles 7:3)

Names Beginning with J

Jaasiel

God's Work (1 Chronicles 27:21)

Jaazaniah

Whom the Lord Will Hear (2 Kings 25:23)

Jaaziah

The Strength of the Lord (1 Chronicles 24:26)

Jaaziel

The Strength of the Lord (1 Chronicles 15:18)

Jabneel

Building of God (Joshua 15:11)

Jahaleel or Jahleel

Praising God or Light of God (Genesis 46:14)

Jahaziah

The Vision of the Lord (Ezra 10:15)

Jahaziel

Seeing God (1 Chronicles 12:4)

Jahdiel

The Unity or Sharpness or Revenge of God (1 Chronicles 5:24)

Jahleel

Waiting For or Beseeching or Hoping In God
(Genesis 46:14)

Jahzeel

God Hurries or Divides (Genesis 46:24)

Jaresiah

The Bed of the Lord or the Lord has Taken
Away or Poverty (1 Chronicles 8:27)

Jasiel or Jassiel

The Strength of God (1 Chronicles 11:47)

Jathniel

Gift of God (1 Chronicles 26:2)

Jeberechiah

Speaking Well of or Kneeling to the Lord
(Isaiah 8:2)

Jecamiah

Resurrection or Confirmation or Revenge of
the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:18)

Jecoliah

Perfection or Power of the Lord (2
Chronicles 26:3)

Jeconiah

Preparation or Stability of the Lord (1
Chronicles 3:16)

Jedaiah

The Hand of the Lord or Confessing the Lord
(1 Chronicles 4:37)

Jedeiah or Jedaiah

One Lord or the Joy of the Lord (1
Chronicles 4:37)

Jediael

The Science or Knowledge of God (1
Chronicles 7:6)

Jedidiah

Beloved of the Lord (2 Samuel 12:25)

Jediel or Jediael

The Knowledge or Renewing of God (1
Chronicles 7:6)

Jehaleleel

Praising God or Clearness of God (1
Chronicles 4:16)

Jehalelel

Praising God or Clearness of God (2
Chronicles 29:12)

Jehaziel

Seeing God (1 Chronicles 12:4)

Jehdeiah

Joy Together or One Lord (1 Chronicles 24:20)

Jeheiel or Jehiel

God Lives (1 Chronicles 9:35)

Jehezekel

Strength of God (1 Chronicles 24:16)

Jehiah

The Lord Lives (1 Chronicles 15:24)

Jehiskiah or Jehizkiah

The Strength or Taking of the Lord (2 Chronicles 28:12)

Jehoadah

Passing Over or Testimony of the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:36)

Jehoaddan

Pleasure or Time of the Lord (2 Kings 14:2)

Jehoahaz

Possession of the Lord (2 Kings 10:35)

Jehoash

Fire of the Lord (2 Kings 11:21)

Jehohanan

Grace or Mercy or Gift of the Lord (1 Chronicles 26:3)

Jehoiachin

Preparation or Strength of the Lord (2 Kings 24:6)

Jehoiada

Knowledge of the Lord (2 Samuel 8:18)

Jehoiakim

Avenging or Establishing or Resurrection of the Lord (2 Kings 23:34)

Jehoiarib

Fighting or Multiplying of the Lord (2 Kings 23:34)

Jehonathan

Gift of the Lord or Gift of a Dove (2 Kings 23:34)

Jehoram

Exaltation of the Lord (1 Kings 22:50)

Jehoshaphat

The Lord is Judge (2 Samuel 8:16)

Jehosheba

Fullness or Oath of the Lord (2 Kings 11:2)

Jehoshua

A Saviour or Deliverer (Numbers 13:16)

Jehovah

The Lord (Exodus 6:2-3)

Jehovah-Adon Kal Ha'arets

Lord of Earth (Joshua 3:13)

Jehovah-Bara

Lord Creator (Isaiah 40:28)

Jehovah-Chatsahi

Lord my Strength (Psalm 27:1)

Jehovah-Chereb

Lord the Sword (Deuteronomy 33:29)

Jehovah-Eli

Lord my God (Psalm 18:2)

Jehovah-Elyon

Lord Most High (Psalm 38:2)

Jehovah-'Ez-Lami

Lord my Strength (Psalm 28:7)

Jehovah-Gador Milchamah

Lord Mighty in Battle (Psalm 24:8)

Jehovah-Ganan

Lord our Defence (Psalm 89:18)

Jehovah-Go'el

Lord my Redeemer (Isaiah 49:26)

Jehovah-Hamelech

Lord King (Psalm 98:6)

Jehovah-Hashopet

Lord my Judge (Judges 6:27)

Jehovah-Helech 'Olam

Lord King Forever (Psalm 10:16)

Jehovah-Hoshe'ah

Lord Saves (Psalm 20:9)

Jehovah-'Immeku

Lord is With You (Judges 6:12)

Jehovah-'Izoa Hakaboth

Lord is Strong and Mighty (Psalm 24:8)

Jehovah-Jireh

Lord my Provider (Genesis 22:14)

Jehovah-Kabodhi

Lord my Glory (Psalm 3:3)

Jehovah-Kanna

Lord Jealous (Exodus 34:14)

Jehovah-Keren-Yish'i

Lord the Horn of Salvation (Psalm 18:2)

Jehovah-Machsi

Lord my Refuge (Psalm 91:9)

Jehovah-Magen

Lord my Shield (Deuteronomy 33:29)

Jehovah-Ma'oz

Lord my Fortress (Jeremiah 16:19)

Jehovah-Mephalti

Lord my Deliverer (Psalm 18:2)

Jehovah-Metshodhasi

Lord my Fortress (Psalm 18:2)

Jehovah-M'gaddishcem

Lord my Sanctifier (Exodus 31:13)

Jehovah-Misqabbi

Lord my High Tower (Psalm 18:2)

Jehovah-M'kaddesh

Lord my Sanctifier (1 Corinthians 1:30)

Jehovah-Nahéh

Lord Who Smites (Ezekiel 7:9)

Jehovah-Nissi

Lord my Banner (1 Chronicles 29:11-13)

Jehovah-'Ori

Lord my Light (Psalm 27:1)

Jehovah-Rohi

Lord my Shepherd (Psalm 23)

Jehovah-Rophe

Lord my Healer (Isaiah 53:4-5)

Jehovah-Sabaoth

Lord of Hosts (1 Samuel 1:3)

Jehovah-Sel'i

Lord my Rock (Psalm 18:2)

Jehovah-Shalom

Lord my Peace (Romans 8:31-35)

Jehovah-Shammah

Lord is Present (Hebrews 13:5)

Jehovah-Tsidkenu

Lord MY Righteousness (1 Corinthians 1:30)

Jehovah-Tsori

Lord My Strength (Psalm 19:14)

Jehovah-'Uzam

Lord my Strength In Trouble (Isaiah 49:26)

Jehovah-Yasha

Lord my Saviour (Isaiah 49:26)

Jehozabad

The Lord's Dowry or Having a Dowry (2 Kings 12:21)

Jehozadak

Justice of the Lord (1 Chronicles 6:14)

Jehudijah

The Praise of the Lord (1 Chronicles 4:18)

Jekabzeel

The Congregation of God (Nehemiah 11:25)

Jekamiah

Establishing or Revenging of the Lord (1 Chronicles 2:41)

Jekuthiel

Hope or Congregation of the Lord (1
Chronicles 4:18)

Jemuel

God's Day or Son of God (Genesis 46:10)

Jerahmeel

The Mercy or the Beloved of God (1
Chronicles 2:9)

Jeremiah

Exaltation of the Lord (2 Kings 23:31)

Jeriah

Fear or Throwing Down of the Lord (1
Chronicles 23:19)

Jeriel

Fear or Vision of God (1 Chronicles 7:2)

Jerijah

Fear or Throwing Down of the Lord (1
Chronicles 26:31)

Jeruel

Fear or Vision of God (2 Chronicles 20:16)

Jeshohaia or Jeshohaiah

The Lord Pressing or the Meditation of God
(1 Chronicles 4:36)

Jesiah

Sprinkling of the Lord (1 Chronicles 12:6)

Jesimiel

Naming or Astonishment of God (1 Chronicles 4:36)

Jesus

The Lord Who Saves (Matthew 1:21)

Jeuel

God Hath Taken Away or God Heaping Up (1 Chronicles 9:6)

Jeziah

Sprinkling of the Lord (Ezra 10:25)

Jeziel

Sprinkling of the Lord (1 Chronicles 12:3)

Jezneel or Jezreel

Seed of God (Joshua 15:56)

Jezrahiah

The Lord Arises or Brightness of the Lord (Nehemiah 12:42)

Jiphthael or Jiphthahel

God Opening (Joshua 19:14)

Joah

Fraternity or Brother of the Lord (2 Kings 18:18)

Joakim or Jehoiakim

Avenging or Establishing or Resurrection of the Lord (2 Kings 23:34)

Joanna

Grace or Gift of the Lord (Luke 3:27)

Joatham

The Perfection of the Lord (Matthew 1:9)

John

The Grace or Mercy of the Lord (Matthew 3:1)

Jojarib

Chiding or Multiplying of the Lord (Ezra 8:16)

Jonathan

Given of God (Judges 18:30)

Jorim

He that Exalts the Lord (Luke 3:29)

Joshaviah

The Seat or Alteration or Captivity of the Lord (1 Chronicles 11:46)

Joshua

A Saviour or Deliverer (Exodus 17:9)

Josiah

The Lord Burns or the Fire of the Lord (1 Kings 13:2)

Josibiah

The Seat or Captivity of the Lord (1 Chronicles 4:35)

Josiphiah

Increase of the Lord or the Lord's Finishing (Ezra 8:10)

Jotham

The Perfection of the Lord (Judges 9:5)

Judaea

The Praise of the Lord (Matthew 2:1)

Judah

The Praise of the Lord (Genesis 29:35)

Judas

Jude the Praise of the Lord (Matthew 1:2)

Jude

The Praise of the Lord (Jude 1:1)

Judea

The Praise of the Lord (Ezra 5:8)

Judith

The Praise of the Lord (Genesis 26:34)

Names Beginning with K

Kabzeel

The Congregation of God (Joshua 15:21)

Kadmiel

God of Antiquity or God of Rising (Ezra 2:40)

Kelaiah

Voice of the Lord or Gathering Together (Ezra 10:23)

Kemuel

God Hath Raised Up or Established Him (Genesis 22:21)

Kolariah or Kolaiah

Voice of the Lord (Nehemiah 11:7)

Korah

Baldness or Ice or Frost (Genesis 36:5)

Kurios Kurios

Lord of Lords (Revelation 19:16)

Names Beginning with L

Lael

to God or to the Mighty (Numbers 3:24)

Lahad

Praising God (1 Chronicles 4:2)

Lahairoi

Who Lives and Sees Me (Genesis 24:62)

Lazarus

Assistance of God (Luke 16:20)

Lemuel

God with Them or Him (Proverbs 31:1)

Logos

Word (John 1:1)

Names Beginning with M

Maadiah

Pleasantness or the Testimony of the Lord
(Nehemiah 12:5)

Maaseiah

The Work of the Lord (1 Chronicles 15:18)

Maasiai

The Defence or Strength or Trust of the Lord
(1 Chronicles 9:12)

Magdiel

Declaring God or Chosen Fruit of God
(Genesis 36:43)

Mahaleleel or Mahalaleel

Praising God (Genesis 5:12)

Malchiah

The Lord my King or my Counsellor (1
Chronicles 6:40)

Malchiel

God is My King or Counsellor (Genesis 46:17)

Malchijah

The Lord my King or my Counsellor (1
Chronicles 9:12)

Maranatha

The Lord is Coming (1 Corinthians 16:22)

Mattaniah

Gift or Hope of the Lord (2 Kings 24:17)

Mattatha

His Gift (Luke 3:31)

Mattathias

The Gift of the Lord (Luke 3:25)

Mehetabel

How Good is God (Genesis 36:39)

Mehujael

Who Proclaims God (Genesis 4:18)

Melatiah

Deliverance of the Lord (Nehemiah 3:7)

Melchiah

God is My King (Jeremiah 21:1)

Mellicu or Melicu

God's Kingdom or God's Counsellor (Nehemiah 12:14)

Meshelemiah

Peace or Perfection of the Lord (1
Chronicles 9:21)

Meshezabeel

Delivered by God (Nehemiah 3:4)

Mesobaite

The Lord's Standing-Place or a Little Doe (1 Chronicles 11:47)

Messiah

Anointed by God (Daniel 9:25)

Messias (Messiah)

Anointed by God (John 1:41)

Micah

Who is Like God? (Judges 17:1)

Micaiah

Who is Like God? (1 Kings 22:8)

Micha

Who is Like God? (2 Samuel 9:12)

Michael

Who is Like God? (Numbers 13:13)

Michaiah

Who is Like God? (2 Kings 22:12)

Michal

Who is Perfect Like God? (1 Samuel 14:49)

Migdalel

Tower of God (Joshua 19:38)

Moriah

Bitterness of the Lord (Genesis 22:2)

Names Beginning with N

Nahaliel

Inheritance or Valley of God (Numbers 21:19)

Nathanael

The Gift of God (John 1:45)

Nazarite

One Chosen or Set Apart for God (Numbers 6:2)

Neariah

Child of the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:22)

Nedabiah

Prince or Vow of the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:18)

Neiel

Commotion or Moving of God (Joshua 19:27)

Nemuel

The Sleeping of God (Numbers 26:9)

Neriah

Light or Lamp of the Lord (Jeremiah 32:12)

Nethaneel

The Gift of God (Numbers 1:8)

Nethaniah

The Gift of the Lord (2 Kings 25:23)

Noadiah

Witness or Ornament of the Lord (Ezra 8:33)

Names Beginning with O

Obadiah

Servant of the Lord (1 Kings 18:3)

Omega

God at the End [The Last Letter of the Greek Alphabet] (Revelation 1:8)

Oshea

A Saviour or a Deliverer (Numbers 13:8)

Othniel

The Hour of God (Joshua 15:17)

Ozias

Strength from the Lord (Matthew 1:8)

Names Beginning with P

Pagiel

Prevention or Prayer of God (Numbers 1:13)

Paltiel

Deliverance or Banishment of God (Numbers 34:26)

Pedaiah

Redemption of the Lord (2 Kings 23:36)

Pekahiah

It is the Lord that Opens (2 Kings 15:22)

Pelaiah

The Lord's Secret or Miracle (1 Chronicles 3:24)

Pelaliah

Entreating the Lord (Nehemiah 11:12)

Pelatiah

Let the Lord Deliver or Deliverance of the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:21)

Pele

Wonderful (Isaiah 9:6)

Peniel

Face or Vision of God or That Sees God
(Genesis 32:30)

Penuel

Face or Vision of God or That Sees God
(Genesis 32:31)

Pethahiah

The Lord Opening or Gate of the Lord (1
Chronicles 24:16)

Pethuel

Mouth of God or Persuasion of God (Joel 1:1)

Phanuel

Face or Vision of God (Luke 2:36)

Names Beginning with Q

Qanna

Jealous (Exodus 34:14)

Names Beginning with R

Raamiah

Thunder or Evil from the Lord (Nehemiah 7:7)

Ramiah

Exaltation of the Lord (Ezra 10:25)

Reaiah

Vision of the Lord (1 Chronicles 4:2)

Reelaiah

Shepherd or Companion to the Lord (Ezra 2:2)

Rehabiah

Breadth or Extent of the Lord (1 Chronicles 23:17)

Remaliah

The Exaltation of the Lord (2 Kings 15:25)

Rephael

The Purgative or Medicine of God (1 Chronicles 26:7)

Rephaiah

Medicine or Refreshment of the Lord (1 Chronicles 3:21)

Reuel

The Shepherd or Friend of God (Genesis 36:4)

Names Beginning with S

Sabaoth

Lord of Hosts (Romans 9:29)

Salathiel

Asked or Lent of God (1 Chronicles 3:17)

Samuel

Heard of God or Asked of God (1 Samuel 1:20)

Saron

His Song (Acts 9:35)

Sarshalowm

Prince of Peace (Isaiah 9:6)

Semachiah

Joined to the Lord (1 Chronicles 26:7)

Seraiah

Prince of the Lord (2 Samuel 8:17)

Shachia

Protection of the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:10)

Shamariah

Throne or Keeping of the Lord (2 Chronicles 11:19)

Shealtiel

Asked or Lent of God (Ezra 3:2)

Sheariah

Gate of the Lord or Tempest of the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:38)

Shebuel

Turning or Captivity or Seat of God (1 Chronicles 23:16)

Shecaniah

Habitation of the Lord (1 Chronicles 24:11)

Shehariah

Mourning or Blackness of the Lord (1 Chronicles 8:26)

Shelemiah

God is My Perfection or My Happiness or My Peace (1 Chronicles 26:14)

Shelumiel

God is My Perfection or My Happiness or My Peace (Numbers 1:6)

Shemaiah

That Hears or Obeys the Lord (1 Kings 12:22)

Shemariah

God is My Guard (1 Chronicles 12:5)

Shemuel

Appointed By God (Numbers 34:20)

Shephatiah

The Lord That Judges (2 Samuel 3:4)

Shepherd

Shepherd (Psalm 23:1)

Sherebiah

Singing With the Lord (Ezra 8:18)

Shimeah

That Hears or Obeys God (2 Samuel 13:3)

Shimeath

That Hears or Obeys God (2 Kings 12:21)

Shimei

That Hears or Obeys God (Numbers 3:18)

Shimi

That Hears or Obeys God (Exodus 6:17)

Shubael

Returning Captivity or Seat of God (1
Chronicles 24:20)

Simeon

He that Hears or Obeys God (Genesis 29:33)

Simon

He that Hears or that Obeys God (Matthew 4:18)

Sosthenes

Saviour or Strong or Powerful (Acts 18:17)

Names Beginning with T

Tabaal

Good God (Isaiah 7:6)

Tabeel

Good God (Ezra 4:7)

Tebaliah

Baptism or Goodness of the Lord (1
Chronicles 26:11)

Theophilus

Friend of God (Luke 1:3)

Timotheus

Honour of God or Valued of God (Acts 16:1)

Tobadonijah

My Good God or the Goodness of the
Foundation of the Lord (2 Chronicles 17:8)

Tobiah

The Lord is Good (Ezra 2:60)

Tobijah

The Lord is Good (2 Chronicles 17:8)

Names Beginning with U

Uel

Desiring God (Ezra 10:34)

Urijah or Uriahor

The Lord is My Light or Fire (2 Kings 16:10)

Uzziah

The Strength or Kid of the Lord (2 Kings 15:13)

Uzziel

The Strength or Kid of the Lord (Exodus 6:18)

Names Beginning with V

Vaniah

Nourishment or Weapons of the Lord (Ezra 10:36)

Y

Yaats

Counsellor (Isaiah 9:6)

Yah

a Shortened Form of the Tetragrammaton
YHWH (See Yahweh)

Yahweh

I Am that I Am (Exodus 3:14)

Names Beginning with Z

Zachariah

Memory of the Lord (2 Kings 14:29)

Zalmon

His Shade or His Image (Judges 9:48)

Zalmonah

The Shade or the Sound of the Number or His Image (Numbers 33:41)

Zebadiah

Portion of the Lord or the Lord is My Portion (1 Chronicles 8:15)

Zechariah

Memory of the Lord (1 Chronicles 5:7)

Zedekiah

The Lord is my Justice or the Justice of the Lord (1 Kings 22:11)

Zephaniah

The Lord is my Secret (2 Kings 25:18)

Zerahiah

The Lord Rising or Brightness of the Lord (1 Chronicles 6:6)

Zeruiah

Pain or Tribulation of the Lord (1 Samuel 26:6)

Zibiah

The Lord Dwells or Deer or Goat (2 Kings 12:1)

Zidkijah

Justice of the Lord (Nehemiah 10:1)

Ziz

Branch (2 Chronicles 20:16)

Zuriel

Rock or Strength of God (2 Chronicles 20:16)

Zurishaddai

The Almighty is my Rock and Strength (Numbers 1:6)

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